

Block - Commercial

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Curios and Relics

Toys & Games

Blocks - Commemorative

Excerpts from newspapers and other sources

From the files of the
Lincoln Financial Foundation Collection



MABEL I. RENNER

483 W. MARKET ST.

YORK, PENNA.

Mr. Louis G. Warren,

Dear Sir — I have a set of 24 wooden blocks (paper covered). On the sides of the blocks are 1) the busts of the Presidents. 2) the coat-of-arms of the States, and on the 3rd + 4th sides of the blocks are two stories of Lincoln + the Emancipation of Slaves (one story in small type, and on the other side in very large type a story in dialect on same subject.

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It is a quite interesting Lincoln
item.

The blocks are in a wooden box,
but the lid is missing. (Blocks are
all in good condition) Price ^{\$}16.50

Will be glad to send them to you
on approval, if interested.

Do stop to see my collection of
autographs when in this vicinity.

Sincerely yours
Mabel D. Penner

Lincoln Blocks

March 22, 1944

Mabel I. Renner
483 W. Market Street
York, Pennsylvania

My dear Madam:

I heard about your collection of blocks in Baltimore upon a recent visit there and intended to write you with respect to them.

It is my thought that possibly they were all related to Abraham Lincoln and inasmuch as only one of the 24 has a Lincoln contact I do not think we would care to acquire them. Thank you nevertheless for calling them to our attention.

Very truly yours,

LAW:vff

Director

